

Rare Plant Inventory

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Report for Dieteria asteroides var. lagunensis

TAXON DETAILS Classification

Scientific Name Dieteria asteroides Torrey var. lagunensis

(D.D. Keck) D.R. Morgan & R.L. Hartman

Common Name Mt. Laguna aster

Family Asteraceae
Element Code PDAST64131

USDA Plants Symbol

Synonyms/Other Names Machaeranthera lagunensis Keck

Machaeranthera asteroides (Torr.) Greene

var. lagunensis (Keck) Turner

Conservation Status

California Rare Plant Rank2B.1Global RankG5?T2State RankS1

CESA CR (09/01/79)

FESA None

Other Status BLM_S; SB_CRES; USFS_S

CRPR Changes changed from 2.1 to 2B.1 on 2013-06-12

 Date Added
 1988-01-01

 Last Update
 2023-06-06

Ecology and Life History

Lifeformperennial herbBlooming Period(May)Jul-Aug

Elevation m (ft) 790-2400 (2590-7875)

General Habitats Cismontane woodland, Lower montane

coniferous forest

Microhabitat Details

Microhabitat

Threat List Data from the CNDDB

Threat List Total:		8	
	Total EOs	Percent EOs	
EOs with Threats Listed	2	29%	
Threat List:			
Grazing	2	28%	
Road/trail construction/maint.	2	28%	
Wood cutting or brush clearing	1	14%	
Foot traffic/trampling	1	14%	
Logging	1	14%	
ORV activity	1	14%	
Other	1	14%	
Recreational use (non-ORV)	1	14%	

Element Occurrence Data from the CNDDB

Total Element Occurrences:	7	
Element Occurrence Ranks:		
Excellent (A)	0	
Good (B)	2	
Fair (C)	1	
Poor (D)	0	
None (X)	0	
Unknown (U)	4	
Occurrence Status		
Historical, > 20 years	4	
Recent, < 20 years	3	
Presence		
Presumed Extant	7	
Possibly Extirpated	0	
Presumed Extirpated	0	

Location

California Endemic	No
Counties	
San Diego (SDG)	
States	
Baja California (BA), California (CA)	
Quads	
Campo (3211654), Earthquake Valley (3311614), Jacumba (3211662), Mount L (3211674)	₋aguna

Notes

Definitions of codes preceding a county and/or quad:

- * Presumed extirpated
- (*) Possibly extirpated

Species may be present in other areas where conditions are favorable. These data should NOT be substituted for pre-project review or for on-site surveys.

Notes

Known in CA from fewer than 5 occurrences. Threatened by development, grazing and recreational activities. Potentially threatened by road maintenance. See *Brittonia* 9:238 (1957) for original description and *SIDA* 20(4): 1393 (2003) for revised nomenclature.

Threats

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Selected References

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